LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

- 1. (Currently Amended) A <u>heat insulating and fire resistant</u> composite material comprising:
 - a first layer which comprises a prefabricated microcells component, a surfactant component, surfactant-generated microcells, a filler component and a binder component; and
 - b. a second layer comprising a metallic component adhered to the first layer.
- 2. (Withdrawn) A composite material comprising:
 - a. a substrate;
 - a first layer adhered to the substrate to provide a coated substrate, said first layer comprising a prefabricated microcells component, a surfactant component, surfactant-generated microcells, a filler component and a binder component; and
 - c. a second layer comprising a metallic component adhered to the coated substrate.
- 3. (Withdrawn) The composite material according to claim 2, wherein said substrate is planar and said first layer is adhered to one side of the substrate.
- 4. (Withdrawn) The composite material according to claim 2, wherein said substrate is planar and said first layer is adhered to both sides of the substrate.
- 5. (Withdrawn) The composite material according to claims 3 or 4 wherein said second layer is adhered to one side of said coated substrate.
- 6. (Withdrawn) The composite material according to claims 3 or 4 wherein said second layer is adhered to both sides of said coated substrate.

- 7. (Original) The composite material according to claim 1, wherein said first layer is planar and the second layer is adhered to one side of the first layer.
- 8. (Original) The composite material of claim 1, wherein the first layer is planar and the second layer is adhered to both sides of the first layer.
- 9. (Withdrawn) The composite material according to claims 1 or 2 wherein said composite material further includes a water repellent material.
- 10. (Withdrawn) The composite material according to claims 1 or 2 wherein said composite material further includes an antifungal material.
- 11. (Withdrawn) The composite material according to claims 1 or 2 wherein said composite material further includes an antibacterial material.
- 12. (Withdrawn) The composite material according to claims 1 or 2 wherein said composite material further includes a surface friction agent.
- 13. (Original) The composite material according to claims 1 or 2 wherein said composite material further includes a flame retardant material.
- 14. (Withdrawn) The composite structural material according to claims 1 or 2 wherein said composite material further includes an algaecide.
- 15. (Original) The composite material according to claims 1 or 2, wherein the metallic component is selected from a group consisting of aluminum or stainless steel.

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16. (Original) The material according to claim 16, wherein the metallic component is aluminum foil.

17. (Original) The composite material according to claims 1 or 2, wherein the filler component is clay.

18. (Original) The composite material according to claims 1 or 2, wherein the surfactant component is a fast soap.

20. (Original) The composite material according to claims 1 or 2, wherein the surfactant component forms surfactant-generated microcells.